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## **CERTIFICATE OF GRAVIMETRIC PREPARATION**

**PRODUCT:** Flame Photometry Standard

Sodium 140mmol/L and Potassium 5mmol/L

**PRODUCT No.:** FCNK5

MATRIX:  $H_2O$ 

LOT NO.: FCNK524H1

**DATE OF PREPARATION:** 19<sup>th</sup> August 2024

**EXPIRY DATE:** 28<sup>th</sup> August 2026

**DENSITY VALUE:** 1.004 g/ml @ 20°C

## PREPARATION OF STANDARD:

All standard components have been pre-qualified/verified before use. All analytical measuring devices and instrumentation have been pre-calibrated. The actual concentrations reported below are based on this preparation methodology and compound impurities.

Elements	Concentration mg/kg	Concentration mg/L @ 20°C	Concentration mmol/L @ 20°C
Na	3219	3233	140.6
K	195.5	196.4	5.02

The expanded uncertainty (k=2) due to weighing, volumetric preparation and homogeneity is calculated in compliance with EURACHEM/CITAC Guide: Quantifying Uncertainty in Analytical Measurements as  $\pm$  0.2 %. All values are verified by ICP-MS analysis using externally sourced ISO 17034 accredited Certified Reference Materials as calibrants/quality controls where possible.

## TRACEABILITY IN THE PRODUCTION OF THIS STANDARD:

This product was prepared gravimetrically on a mass/mass basis, using a balance calibrated by Reagecon engineers with mass standards traceable to the National and International primary standard of mass. Reagecon holds ISO 17025 accreditation for calibration of non-automatic weighing machines. The resulting Balance Certificate of Calibration was issued in accordance with the requirements of ISO/IEC 17025. The balance was calibrated under monitored environmental conditions and atmospheric pressure. Tests were performed for capacity, readability, repeatability, eccentricity, and linearity.

## **TEST METHOD:**

The mean result of this standard was verified using a calibrated ICP-MS system according to an in-house test method. The result reported in this certificate was confirmed by analysis of a sample of this lot taken at time of manufacture. The density of this standard was determined using a high-performance calibrated density meter.

This certificate relates solely to the lot number given above.

Approved By: QC Technician

Date: 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2024

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